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SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM SECRETARY ROGERS TO SIR ALEC

DOUGLAS-HOME

1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM SECRETARY ROGERS TO SIR ALEC DOUGLAS-HOME: QTE DEAR ALEC: THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND MESSAGE ON THE OCCASION OF MY RESIGNATION AS SECRETARY OF STATE. I LOOK BACK UPON OUR CLOSE RELATIONSHIP AND YOUR VALUABLE COUNSEL WITH THE GREATEST PLEASURE AND APPRECIATION, AND I SHARE YOUR HOPE THAT WE WILL MEET AGAIN IN THE NEAR FUTURE. WITH WARM REGARDS TO YOU AND ELIZABETH. SINCERELY, BILL END QUOTE.

2. FYI: TEXT OF SIR ALEC'S MESSAGE TO THE SECRETARY FOLLOWS: QTE I AM SO SORRY TO HEAR THAT WE ARE NO LONGER TO BE COLLEAGUES IN THE FOREIGN FIELD. I HAVE GREATLY ENJOYED WORKING WITH YOU, AND VERY MUCH ADMIRER ALL YOU HAVE DONE. I HOPE WE CAN MEET BEFORE TOO LONG. END QTE.

3. DEPARTMENT DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE TEXT OF MESSAGE, BUT HAS NO OBJECTION IF ADDRESSEE WISHES TO DO SO. ROGERS

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